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This is in response to the Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance dated May 17, 2005.

The Applicants agree with the Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance to the extent that the claims of the present invention are patentable over the references in the The Applicants expressly traverse the Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance to the extent that any comment intended or has the effect of limiting a claim scope, explicitly or implicitly, by not reciting verbatim the respective claim language, or is intended or has the effect of limiting a claim scope by stating or implying that all the reasons for patentability are in any way fully enumerated.

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